



Cuban exile leader Manuel Artime uses map to explain his revolutionary group's plans for keeping the pressure on Fidel Castro.

Profile of Persistent Cuban Exile Leader

MIAMI (AP)—Dr. Manuel Artime, who heads the anti-Castro organization that attacked a sugar mill in Cuba Wednesday, is a psychiatrist who says he is trying to analyze Fidel Castro's mind.

The 32-year-old former lieutenant in Castro's revolutionary army graduated from the medical school of the University of Havana, where Cuba's Communist premier studied law.

Associates said Artime is "professionally interested" in Castro and hopes to "get closer to him" soon.

"Civilian leader" of the Bay of Pigs invasion in 1961, Artime is said by his organization to have "eluded capture by Castro's forces for 14 days inside Cienaga de Zapata, the swamp surrounding the Bay of Pigs."

ARTIME WAS ransomed from prison for \$500,000, and returned to Miami, along with other prisoners, on Christmas Eve, 1962.

"We shall return," he shouted as he got off the plane.

That project reportedly has occupied his time since.

Dark, handsome and unmarried, Artime is a popular figure in the exile colony, but has many political opponents. He is a devout Roman Catholic and generally is considered a conservative.

Artime said he broke with Castro after he became convinced at a meeting with him and other Cuban leaders in October, 1959, that Castro was a Communist.

At that time, Artime was head of Castro's agrarian reform in Oriente Province. Artime defected in December, 1959.

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